

THE CENTRAL RECORD

PURE RELIGION, UNTARNISHED DEMOCRACY AND GOOD GOVERNMENT.

LANCASTER, KY., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3 1909.

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Gasoline Engines.

Corn Mills, Feed Mills,
Corn Crushers, Feed Cutters

Wood Saws and
PUMPING OUTFITS
sold and erected.

We have a few slightly used

Corn Crushers

on hand that we will sell at a bargain

Let us make you estima-
tions on your wants.

CONN BROTHERS

See "A Very Mountain" by
local talent at Court House, Dec 25

Come to the Court House, December
22nd and see the Circle Girls educate
an orphan girl.

Women's Club.

A most interesting meeting of the
Woman's Club was held in the Sunday
school room of the Presbyterian
church Friday afternoon. The club
will assist in the fight against the
"white plague", the first step to be
taken with the children in the schools.

Certainly.

"Now in order to subtract," ex-
plained a teacher to the class in mathe-
matics, "things have to be of the
same denomination. For instance,
we couldn't take three apples from
four years, nor six horses from nine
dogs." A hand went up in the back
of the room. "Well, Johnny?" smiled
the unsuspicious teacher. "Please
madam," shouted the boy, "can't you
take four quarts of milk from three
cows?"

Kentucky Dogs in Demand.

Mr. R. E. McRoberts had the distinction
of hunting near Hopkinsville
with his brother-in-law, Mr. Harry
Ware, who had a brace of Setters that
have since been sold to Harry Whit-
ney, of New York, known to us
through his connection with the Peary
Cook controversy. Dr. Cook left his
records with Mr. Whitney, who was
hunting game for his own pleasure in
the Arctic. We presume Mr. Whit-
ney thought the best way out of it
was to come to Kentucky, buy a \$750
dog and lose himself in the happy
hunting ground of the South, for the
winter, at least.

Arnold - Anderson.

We have received an announcement of
the marriage of Mr. Paul J. Arnold
and Miss Housh D. Anderson, which
occurred on Nov. third. They are now
at home to their many friends at
Grand Tower, Illinois.

This will be of much interest to the
friends and relatives of the groom, as
he is a native of Garrard Co. but has
resided in Illinois for the past six years.
He is pleasantly remembered here as a
sober and industrious young man
with an irreproachable character and
succeeding popular with all who
know him.

The bride is the only daughter of
Mr. W. C. Anderson, of Grand Tower,
Illinois, and is an attractive and ac-
complished young lady, being a great
social favorite in her community.

It gives the pleasant pleasure to
wish them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Marshall Eason has been on the
sick list for several weeks.

Police Court.

Chief of Police, Luther Herron, ar-
rested a gang of colored men for crap-
shooting and four of them were given
\$20 each in Judge Harris' court.

Burial of Mrs. Peters.

The remains of Mrs. Peters were
brought to this city Saturday and in-
terred in the Lancaster cemetery.
The deceased was a sister of Mr.
Thomas Herring formerly of this
county and the late Dr. H. C. and
James Herring of this place.

Bourne-Neighbors.

Miss Ida Lee Bourne, of this vicini-
ty, and Fred Neighbors, of Leclaville,
were married, on Tuesday, at the
home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. K.
Warner, of Stanford. Eld. F. M. Tin-
der officiating. The bride is the hand-
some and attractive young daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bourne, of Mc-
Creary, while the groom is an eme-
gent young businessman of the Falls
City, having a good position as tele-
graph operator. The happy young
couple left at once for a bridal trip of
six weeks to New Orleans and other
Southern points.

Investigation.

On Wednesday morning Circuit
Clerk, J. W. Hamilton, requested
Judge W. C. Bell to give the Grand
jury special instructions, in reference
to charges made against him, by State
Inspector M. H. Thatcher, in a report
concerning a record partially burned
and a missing record; that Thatcher
be summoned and the case be fully
investigated. No additional instruc-
tion was given, but the session of the
Grand jury was extended to next
Thursday, and Thatcher and Special
Inspector, E. G. Floyd, were sum-
moned, from Frankfort, to testify before
them. Mr. Hamilton is anxious for a
complete investigation.

A Wide-Awake Merchant.

Read the page advertisement of H.
T. Logan in this issue, in which you
will find \$30,000 worth of goods priced
at rock-bottom figures. This office
has just printed 25,000 bills, which
have been scattered all over Central
Kentucky, and will bring large crowds
as he offers to pay railroad fare in a
radius of 50 miles with every purchase
of \$15. Mr. Logan is one of our most
energetic citizens, has been at the
head of many public enterprises, is
now mayor of this city, believes in
home patronage, and his honest busi-
ness methods have won for him the
respect and esteem of the trading
public. Go early and get a bargain.

A fine girl was born to the wife of
H. C. Dunn on November 24th.

We are glad to note that Mr. W.
McC. Johnson has finally been suc-
cessful in closing his big coal mine deal,
referred to in a former issue.

Rabbits Scarce.

There is a great scarcity of rabbits
throughout the State according to re-
ports received. One reason advanced
is that the severe fall storm last
spring slaughtered most of them. In
the west end where most of the ship-
ments come from, the fall was ex-
tremely severe.

Marriages.

Mr. Benjamin M. Lane and Miss
Odessa A. Simpson, of Stone, were nu-
ticed in marriage at the home of Elder
F. M. Tinder.

Mr. James Hicks and Miss Lydia M.
Simpson were married Thanksgiving
Day by Eld. F. M. Tinder at the lat-
ter's residence.

Miss Sallie Prather and Mr. Ben
Ham were married Wednesday after-
noon by Eld. F. M. Tinder. Both of
the contracting parties belong to
prominent families and the Record
wishes them well.

Teachers Organize.

The teachers and school people of
this district met in Richmond, at the
Normal building, Friday and re-organ-
ized the Eighth District Teachers As-
sociation. Representatives from every
county were present and an enthusias-
tic meeting was enjoyed. The follow-
ing officers were elected: Prof. J. A.
Sherrow, of the Normal, President;
Prof. D. W. Bridges, Lancaster Grad-
uate School, Vice-President; Dr. Fallis,
Danville, Prof. Coates, Richmond, and
Prof. Abner Burgin, committee to ar-
range program for next meeting,
which will be held at Danville the
first Friday and Saturday following
Christmas. Miss Ora L. Adams, of
Harrodsburg, was elected secretary.—
Richmond Climax

RELIGIOUS.

Eld. F. M. Tinder will preach at
Sycamore school house next Sunday
afternoon at 2:30.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet
Saturday afternoon at the home of
Mrs. R. E. McRoberts.

Prof. W. F. Smith, of Transylvania
University, will speak Sunday morn-
ing and night at the Christian church
observing C. W. B. M. day.

Dr. Pearce will preach Sunday morn-
ing at the Lancaster Methodist
church, but will not preach that night
on account of having to go to Louis-
ville where the National Church Fed-
eration Committee meets. He will
begin a series of discourses for Decem-
ber next Sunday.

Eld. F. M. Tinder's sermon, on
"How to make Lancaster an Ideal
Town," was well received and showed
the necessity of considering the moral
and spiritual growth of the city as
well as the material growth. From
his text he proved that God must be
in the work to make it a success.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid met Mon-
day afternoon with Mrs. C. D. Pow-
ell, when the Bazaar which is to be
held December 11th was discussed.
Many nice and useful articles are be-
ing sent in and the ladies are hoping
to make a good sum which will aid
them greatly in paying for their new
parsonage.

Sunday, December twelfth, has been
set apart to celebrate the eighty-sec-
ond anniversary of the organization of
the Christian church of this city.
Several papers will be read, setting
forth the history of the church from
its beginning, and a roll call of the en-
tire membership will be made. On
that night Eld. J. J. Spencer, of the
Central Christian church, of Lexington,
will deliver an address. The church
invites all friends and neigh-
bors.

Hog Feeders and Breeders.

The cheapest and best way to cure
hogs is to keep the well. Bourbon
Hog Cholera Remedy puts and keeps
hogs in a healthy, thrifty condition.
Don't wait for your hogs to get sick.
A few doses now may save the loss of
your entire herd. Sold by J. R. Mount
& Co.

Don't fail to be at the meeting of
the Lancaster and Garrard County
Development Association next Tues-
day night at the Odd Fellows lodge
room.

Thank You.

On Thanksgiving the members of
the Baptist church surprised their
pastor and Mrs. Bush with an offering
of many good things. We thank you
brethren and sisters, not more for the
material goods than for the spirit that
prompted the giving.

O. P. and Mrs. Bush.

Circuit Court.

Considerable business has been trans-
acted in Circuit court since last issue.
Several misdemeanor cases were dis-
posed of. The case of the Common-
wealth against Andy Broughton and
Chas. Majors, charged with murder
was continued; Clarence Fry, colored,
got a life sentence for the murder of
Virgil Mullins, also colored, the trial
consuming Friday and Saturday. Har-
din, Robinson and Tomlinson appear-
ed for the Commonwealth and G. B.
Swinebroad for the defense.

Civil actions are being heard this
week.

Improved Electric Light System.

Mr. Alas Walker has put about \$5,
000 worth of improvement to his light
plant recently. He has been working
to increase the capacity of his machin-
ery and tells us that by January first
he will have doubled it.

He is contemplating putting in a full
metro system if the City Council will
give him a franchise of reasonable
length and allow him to run the lights
all night, with the additional charge
for same. This would be most satis-
factory to all consumers as the lights
should run all night, and when they
are all put on a metro system, people
will be only paying for what they get,
which is fair for both parties. Besides
this, our lights will be much better as
customers will turn the lights off
when they are not in use thereby
giving all the lights their full candle
power.

If this is done our light system will
be second to none in the state

An Answer.

Captain J. A. Doty published the
following in the Courier Journal,
which shows the Commonwealth is in-
debted to him.

In the columns of your Sunday's pa-
per, in a dispatch from Frankfort, I
found quoted from the report of State
Inspector Thatcher, speaking as to the
condition of certain records in Gar-
rard county, the following language:
"Mr. Thatcher makes sensational
charges in report which he filed with
Gov. Wilson. He has placed his re-
port on the hands of the proper civil
authorities and will attempt to pro-
secute certain officials in the Criminal
Court. Important records in the
Clerk's office in Garrard were burned,
and Mr. Thatcher says that he must
conclude that these books and records
were destroyed or abstracted with
some criminal intent in view." Fur-
ther along he says "allayed discrep-
ancies in the Circuit Clerk's office
were found to be \$2,48; in the County
Clerk's office, \$7,50; in the Police
Judge of Lancaster's office, \$2; County
Judge's office, \$282.40, showing a total
of \$334.48 which has been collected by
State Inspector Thatcher and turned
into the State Treasury."

It is not stated in the dispatch in
which clerk's office the records were
burned, and a hasty reading might in-
dicate one office as much as the other,
and to clear the matter from all pos-
sible doubt I, as Clerk of the Garrard
County Court, state that the burning
or abstraction was not in my office,
nor of any record or records which ap-
pertain to my office.

The Inspector found that I had on
hand of the State's money collected by
me \$7.50 and which I at once paid.
This amount was in a book covering
fees received for licenses from colored
people and the book was overlooked
when the State Inspector examined
my office some time since, at which
time the State was my debtor in the
sum of \$16, which sum is yet due me
and which can be paid me, as I am in-
formed, only by an act of the Legisla-
ture.

J. A. Doty, Clerk.

New Got Busy.

"The Land of Now"—This is the
slogan to be used by the Lancaster and
Garrard County Development Asso-
ciation in the work recently mapped
out by this organization at Lancaster.
At a meeting held in Lancaster a
month ago when the movement was
launched a committee, made up of
Captain Brinton B. Davis, President
of the Louisville Commercial Club, A.
B. Lipscomb, Secretary, and R. E.
Hughes, of Louisville, was appointed
to award a prize of \$5 in gold to the
person who suggested the best slogan
to be used by the Association. All
slogans were sent to President John
M. Farra, of the Association, at Lan-
caster. Mr. Farra received several
hundred suggested slogans and those
were forwarded to the Louisville com-
mittee, which took them in hand, and
after a deal of discussion awarded the
prize to Dr. William Burnett, who
suggested the slogan, "The Land of
Now".

Among the slogans most seriously
considered by the committee were the
following:

"Progress, Publicity, Home Patron-
age." "The Paradise of Prosperity."
"The Portal of Industry." "The
Door-way of Disile." "The Hub of
the Commonwealth." "Drop your
Hammer. Get busy." "The Hub of
Kentucky." "From the Heart of
Kentucky." "The Land Transcen-
dent." "Kentucky's Land of Prom-
ise." "A Reserved Section in the
Theatre of Life." "The Iron is Hot
Strike!" "Garrard County. God's
Country." "The Eden of the Twen-
tieth Century." "The Utopia of
North America." "The Garden Spot
of the South." "The Gem of Agri-
cultural Conditions." "We represent
a Federation of Commercial Thunder-
bolts."

"Grand old Garrard to the fore!
Shout this slogan o'er and o'er!
Lancaster and Garrard great.
Mike them foremost of the State!"

President Farra received slogans
from as far East as New York city.
The competitors for the prize included
the following:

John M. Logan, New York, N. Y.,
Mrs. E. D. Potts, Lexington, Ky., H.
J. Tinsley, F. G. Hurt, R. H. Batson,
F. P. Frible, Mrs. Ada Denny, Robt.
L. Meadows, Clay Sutton, Jennie Ran-
kin, Ida May Grant, R. W. McRoberts,
R. L. Elkin, Dr. Wm. Burnett, Dr. E.
H. Pearce, Robert Walters, R. E. Hen-
ry, G. S. Greenleaf, S. D. Cochran,
Mrs. Samuel Cochran, Leonard Miller,
Ed. C. Gaines, Sadie Anderson, W. O.
Dunlap, all of Lancaster.

The one selected is full of signif-
icance, when applied to the territory
which it represents. The develop-
ment of our rich agricultural re-
sources, and the construction of factories
to make our products available, by
preparing them for market, and avoid-
ing the expense of shipment in a crude
State, show the necessity of acting
"NOW" and saving thousands of dol-
lars for the growers of our hemp, to-
bacco, fruit, vegetables &c. All these
products can be manufactured here,
and not only furnish labor for hun-
dreds, but leave the difference be-
tween the price for the crude and the
manufactured article here instead of
giving it to the cities to which we
ship. We can furnish the products
for a hemp factory, a tobacco factory
and a fruit and vegetable cannery. If
the cities can make large sums of
money in manufacturing, and pay
freight on the crude product, why
can't we make a larger profit, having
no freight to pay? We have capital
enough, and such enterprises, properly
advertised, would invite capital, with
proper encouragement in reference to
taxation. NOW is the time, and de-
lay is hurtful. Let us organize a
stock company and keep our profits at
home.

Let us act in the living NOW, and
not rust out while contemplating the
dead past, or prophesying in reference
to the future. Take care of the present
and we will have utilized all the
time that belongs to us. What does
it profit us to know how the huge
stones were placed in the pyramids of
Egypt, or what disasters will befall us
in the future? We are happier not to
know. How is the public benefited by
knowing what you or your ancestors

CHRISTMAS

- and -

Holiday Gifts

- AT -

Haselden Bros.

did? Show us what you can do NOW.
Talk and work NOW for every enter-
prise and every improvement and our
town and county will be second to
none in the Commonwealth.

Much good will be accomplished in
giving publicity to our superior advan-
tages, in city and country life. Our
city enjoys all the modern improve-
ments, with a cultured, christian peo-
ple, free from feuds and local strifes,
surrounded by and permitted to en-
joy all the blessings that emanate
from nature and her God. We have
an able ministry and our churches are
open for the worship of the Giver of
all blessings; our graded school has an
endowment fund of \$50,000, and is one
of the most thorough institutions of
learning in the State, causing a rapid
increase in population.

We have three banking institutions,
three grain warehouses, hemp and to-
bacco warehouses in our city, about
twenty thriving villages, two of which
have banks and the territory is thickly
settled.

Our farm lands yield abundantly of
a variety of the most profitable crops,
two of which—hemp and tobacco—
bring over a million of dollars into the
county annually. The cereals are pro-
duced bountifully. Blue grass, tim-
othy and clover abound, making the
handling of horses, cattle and mules a
very profitable occupation. These de-
sirable conditions are constantly bring-
ing immigrants from less favored sec-

tions. With a proper realization of
our inexhaustible resources and our
limitless possibilities, together with a
determination to encourage home en-
terprise, the most wonderful results
would be achieved.

Ch'm. Publicity Committee.

Many thanks to Mr. Jas. B. Level
for some nice potatoes, as large as Joe
Mount's head. This is an act of chari-
ty.

Mrs. Charles K. Marshall, died at
her home, in Richmond, Ky., Tuesday
morning after a long illness. In ad-
dition to her husband, the widely known
Christian minister, she is survived by
six children.

The Boy Knew.

"Little boy," said the well meaning
reformer, "is that your mamma over
there under with the beautiful set of
furs?"

"Yes, sir," answers the bright lad.
"Now, do you know what poor ani-
mal it is that has had to suffer in or-
der that your mamma might have the
furs with which she adorns herself so
proudly?"

"Yes, sir. My paper."—Chicago Ev-
ening Post.

The bazaar of the Ladies Aid So-
ciety of the Baptist church will be held
at Joseph's store on Saturday Dec. 11
11-12-4t.

In order to
MAKE ROOM
for my large

SPRING STOCK

—OF—



Buggies and Harness

I will give a set of HARNESS with
every buggy sold as I have only a
few left. Come at once.

W. J. Romans.



The \$35,000 Court House, Built by Editor E. C. Walton,
at Stanford, Kentucky.

F. G. HURTT

Nothing is More

Acceptable for Christmas giving than something for the home. If it be a piece of Furniture it brightens the home, not only for the day, or the week, but for years to come--if it is the right kind of Furniture and rightly bought.

FURNITURE

We Have Hundreds

Of different articles that appeal to one's good taste and good sense. No gift could be more welcome. Whatever the size of your holiday appropriation, be very sure you can find something here that will encompass it.

F. G. HURTT

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Rates for Political Announcements.
For Precinct and City Offices... \$ 5.00
For County Offices... 10.00
For State and District Offices... 15.00
For Cards, per line... .10
For Cards, per line... .10
For all publications in the interest of individuals or expression of individual views, per line... .10
Obituaries, per line... .05

Mr. Bryan has, very properly declared against the saloon.

An attempt will be made to pass a law substituting the electric chair for the gallows in this state. It is less painful and the most humane of all forms of inflicting the death penalty.

We have always favored a law that will insure the lifting of capital for taxation and the sending of two millions of dollars out of the state, by a party in Jefferson county, to avoid taxation, will support our contention.

The American Tobacco Company is considering a purchase of \$120,000,000 of pounds of tobacco, of the 1909 pool from the Burley Tobacco Society. This would be the most gigantic deal on record, and, if it goes through at a good price, everybody should pool here after.

In hunting statistics of the effects of local option, this city and county should be consulted. It was first voted here in 1886, and the decrease in crime, the improvement in morals, the advance in the price of real estate, and the general uplifting of the community speak in no uncertain way, and prove that it is best for any community.

The Lexington Herald very wisely suggests the appointment of five lawyers to draft a bill to revise our election laws, and favors the raising of a fund to pay them, in order to get the bill ready for passage during the coming session of the Legislature. We heartily favor the proposition, for there is more corruption under the present system, than was ever known in the Commonwealth.

A handsomely carved board, is being sold, containing the following inscription: There is so much good in the best of us, and so much bad in the worst of us, that it hardly behooves any of us, to talk about the rest of us. This sentiment should be in many households, and if Santa Claus wants a list of those who need it, we will furnish him with a number of names.

We will publish, next issue, an answer to some of the findings and conclusions, contained in a report of State Inspector Thatcher, in reference to an examination of some public records, recently made here. The data for the answer could not be procured in time for this issue.

We do not believe that there was any criminal intention, nor do we believe that the public will think so, when all the facts, conditions and circumstances are published. It is not the part of wisdom to form hasty conclusions.

More than 150,000,000 pounds of cigar tobacco and nearly four times that quantity of the other types of tobacco was grown in the United States in 1908, according to a bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture.

Kentucky leads all the States in tobacco crop, producing more than one third of the crop of the country and about one-fifth of the entire crop of the world. While some tobacco is produced in almost every State, less than 1 per cent. of this country's crop is

grown West of the Mississippi river, Texas being the only trans-Mississippi State in which the industry has gained much importance.

Garrard county is classed among the largest producers in the State, and the revenue derived from it makes our land among the most valuable in the State.

We are gratified to know that prominent men approve of our suggestions in reference to new laws needed and especially to the tax revision bill. We propose to make mention of all laws needed and would suggest in this connection that candidates for Congress should be interviewed as to their willingness to use their influence in modifying the Interstate-Commerce laws, so as to prevent the shipment of intoxicating liquors into local option territories. This is much needed, as the only annoyance we have is by such shipments.

"Down with home people" is the motto in Danville, says the Advocate. That feeling predominates in many other localities. The climax regrets to say, that is the reason so many towns, and even the State of Kentucky, lags at the rear of the procession of progress. The good book says a house divided against itself cannot stand, and this truth is manifested more and more every day. It takes a long pull, a strong pull and a pull together to accomplish good things and the sooner the people are guided by this idea the better for all--Richmond Citizen.

This feeling predominates here too, but let's overlook the past for our people are now awakening to the fact that in unity there is strength, and every one is pulling for Lancaster and Garrard County's interests NOW.

Forewarned is Forearmed.
The Democrats of Kentucky had just as well make up their minds that they are up against this proposition: The Republicans are going to nominate Appellate Judge E. C. O'Rear for Governor on a platform constructed to catch the temperance vote. The Judge is an avowed temperance advocate and can consistently stand upon such a platform. Besides, Judge O'Rear is a very popular man and by his advocacy of the tobacco growers' cause he has made many friends among that class of voters. The people of the State generally know that he is a man of force and ability. Notwithstanding the recent political upheaval it is going to take a mighty good and clean Democrat to beat him, and the party must not make the mistake that any sort of a nomination is equivalent to election. We have got to put our best foot foremost and in order to win we must select such a man as with whom we shall deserve to win.

The editor of the Gazette has no candidate for Governor and no axe to grind. Figuratively, he sits on the watch tower, and, taking note of events and the trend of sentiment, and having nothing but the good of the party at heart and wanting nothing and expecting nothing, he simply desires to issue warning in time that the temperance element of the Democratic party has got to be reckoned with as well as the large and growing independent vote. It is the sheerest nonsense to assert that a Democrat cannot be a prohibitionist. He can be for or against the sale of liquor and still be a Democrat. Even with the military administration of Governor Willson to hold up to the horror of the voter and the recklessness that has characterized the Republican mismanagement of public affairs generally, the Democrats will have no waver for the succession unless they select as a standard bearer a man of known integrity and capacity, one whom the people believe will give fair, just and economical management of the State's affairs.

The writer has bred in the bone Democrat who has become more and more in love with the principles of the party the more he has studied them. His only desire is for Democratic success, and while he will vote for and support any nominee upon whom the wisdom of the party in convention assembled unites, there are growing thousands of voters who will

not care so much for regularity if the nominee does not fill in a large measure their idea of what he should be.

The time is past when a Democratic nomination in Kentucky means an election, though it is naturally a Democratic State. In order to win we will have to put up our best men, those of irreproachable character and unquestioned integrity or we will suffer humiliating defeat again. Forewarned is forearmed--W. P. Walton in Lexington Gazette.

We heartily approve the foregoing, and insist that the best man be nominated, not only for Governor but for Congress, and in fact, for every office to the gift of the people.

Alone in A Saw Mill At Night
Unmindful of dampness, draft, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle" he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by R. E. McRoberts. In

MARKSBURY.

Mr. Robert Fox was at the bedside of his grand-mother, Mrs. Suphonia Fox, of Danville, who has been ill for several days.

Mrs. Chalmers Gallagher and son, John, who has been with her father, C. M. Jenkins, left for Tampa, Florida to join her husband. They will spend the winter there.

Mr. Tom Chesnut is at home again after several weeks stay at Martinsville, for rheumatism. He is very much improved in health.

Miss Mary Chesnut entertained at her home, Sunday, Mrs. Underwood and daughter, Mrs. Murphy, of Boyle.

Mr. John Eager and family have returned from a visit to Mrs. Orsborn, of Paint Lick.

Mr. Ben Hughes and wife, of Lancaster, have been visiting Mrs. Margaret Sutton.

Miss Bane West, of Lancaster, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Woods and Mrs. Sallie Fox this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Mack Elliott attended the family reunion given at the home of her sister, Mrs. Arnold at Paint Lick.

Mr. Prewitt was here in interest of his farm last week.

Mr. William Tuggles sold to George Rubies a bunch of shoats at 6 cents per pound. He also sold a sow and pigs for \$25.00.

Miss Georgia Dunn has returned home after a several days stay with Miss Jennie Higgins, at Paint Lick.

Miss Edna Berkle spent from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Ap Price, of Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Moore and Miss Lee Herring, of Lexington, have returned home after a short stay with friends in this vicinity.

Aunt Miram Peters died of infirmities incident to old age last week at the home of her brother Mr. T. I. Herring, of Lexington. Her body was brought to Lancaster for funeral last Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Moore and Miss Lee Herring, near relatives of the deceased, came with the remains to Lancaster.

The meeting which began last Monday evening at the Fork church is still in progress and is likely to continue throughout the week. The preaching of Dr. Gill is simply pungent, original and his clear logical reasoning of the scriptures at times is surprising--there is no compromise with the truth. The "old time doctrine" which Baptists have held since the time of the apostles. He uses no cliché or modern machinery with which to induce men to join the church. His only weapon is the "Sword of the Spirit" and he knows how to wield it. The attendance is good and the order perfect. No addition up to this time.

BOURNE

H. F. Edgington sold a bunch of shoats to Mr. Rubie, of Buena Vista, at 6 cents.

W. C. Turner sold to W. B. Hurton, of Lancaster a work mule price \$150.

Tom Montgomery bought a two year old horse of Sam Ralnes for \$130.

G. R. Carpenter sold a bunch of fat hogs to Geo Rubie at 7 cents.

Miss Lucy Ledger returned home Sunday after a weeks visit with Miss Mayme Lee Marsee, at Marksburg.

Mrs. Milly Upton and son, Clell, of Junction City, were visiting her daughter, Mrs. Job Marsee Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mayme Grace Adams who has been with friends here the past month returned to Nicholasville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Broadbent and children, of Marksburg, spent Sunday, with Mr. Luther Ray and family.

Mr. J. C. Turner wife and daughter were with relatives at Hyattsville, Sunday.

Mr. Noah Mirsee and family, of Marksburg, attended preaching and visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Montgomery and family who have been living near Hyattsville moved back to his farm, here last week. We are glad to have them back with us again.

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It's a woman's delight to look her best but pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils rob life of joy. Listen! Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; makes the skin soft and velvety. It cures the face. Cures Pimples, Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Cracked Lips, Chapped Hands. Try it. Infallible for Piles 25c at R. E. McRoberts. In

PAINT LICK.

Miss Lillian Cochran, of Lancaster, has been visiting Miss Forrest Denton.

Misses Ethyl and Sallie Woods have returned to school at Madison Institute, at Richmond, after a visit to home folks here.

Misses Florence Christopher, Eliza Isom and Elizabeth Bryant, of Hyattsville, have been the guests of the Misses King.

Misses Mary Ballard and Nannie Campbell are spending several days with Mrs. H. Riddleberger at Mr. R. N. Beasley's.

Mrs. Ann Robinson, of Lancaster, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jas. Francis.

The oyster supper at Eliza Hall last Wednesday night was quite a success, being well attended. Several couples from Lancaster were there.

Mr. W. S. Fish is quite sick at this writing.

The stock of goods at A. B. Estridges is being received this week. The new firm, Woods and Broadway, will take possession next week.

Roy and Ethyl Estridge Chester Neteloff and Orlando Rucker who are attending school at Barboursville spent from Friday till Monday with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Champ and children, of Lancaster, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Champ's parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Etkin, of Versailles, Mr. W. S. Griggs and wife, of Richmond, have returned to their homes after a visit to Mrs. I. C. Rucker.

Mrs. Fannie Garrard and children, of Richmond, visited her parents here last week.

Mrs. W. S. Fish entertained in honor of Miss Lillian Cochran.

Mr. J. S. Denton, of Lexington, has been the guest of his brother, Mr. R. R. Denton.

Miss Ethyl Estridge entertained a number of friends last Saturday night.

Misses Louise and Nellie Rice and Sallie Woods spent last Friday in Lancaster.

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CARTERSVILLE.

Rev. F. F. Palmeter, assisted by Rev. E. K. Pike began a protracted meeting at Carter's Chapel on the 26.

Mrs. Clara Wythe was the guest of Mrs. Kate Allen Sunday.

Miss Hiramett Arnold, of Paris, spent last week in Cartersville, visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Arnold.

Mrs. Nervesta Roop, of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Roop, of Silver Creek, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Roop Sunday.

Our school gave an entertainment Thanksgiving which was a perfect success. Mrs. J. A. Arnold deserves much praise for the nice way the children were trained.

Mr. and Mrs. Add Sowder have moved from Illinois to make this their home.

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Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Furnishings, Etc.

Facts and figures will tell the story rather than words. Prices have been shattered. Great chunks have been cut off the cost of the manufacturers. The buying public are value seekers in every sense of the word. Believe the condition of affairs which now exists here, then act quickly. Profit disappears and cost is lost sight of entirely. A powerful persistent purpose urges us to make this sacrifice, consequently there is only one remedy, that is to **Cut and Slash**. This is not a store to build up profits but a store to build up a royal corpse of friends. We have paved the way this far and are constantly working with this end in view and to make this the ideal store for Men, Boy's and Children. The magnitude power and money saving influence we pass along to you during this sale will more than strengthen the fold, the prestige and reputation of this house, as bargain givers.

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CONCERNING WITCHCRAFT.

There is no possibility of a repetition in this country of the witchcraft craze which, more than 200 years ago, made Salem, Mass., a very dangerous place for suspects. That extraordinary delusion, which led to the hanging of many innocent persons, seems unaccountable to the enlightened minds of the present time, says the Troy Times. Yet that belief in witchcraft still exists is shown by an incident in Butler, Pa., where a woman was charged by another woman, a neighbor, with "casting a spell" over a cow and thus preventing the animal from giving milk. This was done, said the complainant, through witchcraft. The master-of-the-house of course disregarded the silly witchcraft story, though he did hold the accused for plain, ordinary assault. And probably that was as near witchcraft as anything that happened in Salem or elsewhere.

Vienna is suffering from too many pigeons and the authorities are at a loss to know what to do to mitigate the nuisance. The birds, which number some thousands, have a privileged existence; nobody molests them in any way, so that they flourish and increase rapidly. Recently so many complaints have been received from house owners of the dirty condition of the facades of buildings caused by the pigeons that the Vienna magistracy decided something must be done to reduce the number. In their perplexity the magistracy appealed to the Vienna Society for the Protection of Animals to aid them in a legal slaughter of the offending birds, always having regard, however, to the provisions of the new birds' protection law. The society answered that it would be hardly consistent with their principles of friendliness toward animals to engage in a massacre of pigeons, and therefore they must reject the official appeal. The magistracy are now wrestling with the problem alone. Perhaps the unemployed of Vienna might help them.

Here is one point on which the immigration laws might easily be strengthened. American citizenship is not a right, but a privilege, and it should be so construed, says the New York Tribune. If the country offers exceptional opportunities to the strong and intelligent of other countries, it is worth their while to prove that they are entitled to share in these opportunities. No one can find any legitimate fault with this procedure, except the criminal and the incompetent, and the American people need consult their wishes only in so far as it may be desirable to find out what they would prefer and then act to the contrary.

One college professor having declared that he can signal Mars, another one is convinced that he can talk to that planet by means of an artificially constructed rarefied atmosphere. But, even if the last dream is realized, experiment may get another drawback by the discovery that the Martian language may be something on the order of Volapuk or Esperanto.

If future generations, looking at woman's hat of the present day, should get the idea that it was filled chiefly with brains instead of a judicious mixture of natural hair and other things, they will not be surprised at the suffrage movement of the twentieth century.

An Illinois woman in a school board election voted a bank check instead of a ballot. She did as men long have done, only the men put their checks where they could change their votes.

No foreign eyes were permitted to witness the ceremony of girling the sword upon the new sultan. How the moving-picture man must have groaned within himself!

A western college has prohibited its students from attending theaters. Meantime, bazing, lurching and such delightful pastimes may flourish merrily.

Dreadnoughts are now being constructed by many nations, and should they ever meet in actual warfare heaven help those aboard them.

If the census bureau needs investigating, now is the time to investigate it, before the work of counting noses and false teeth begins.

From time to time England discovers that the affectionate railroad octopus is making its embraces still more affectionate.

Nature's dandelion exhibit is showing the park experts that they are not the only landscape gardeners in the business.

Any hotel which installs an aeroplane garage on its roof may be accused of keeping abreast of the epoch.

Insanity is increasing in Japan, possibly as a result of steam heat and janitor service.

It is no longer an act of daring to wear a straw hat.

Germany keeps England in a state of anxiety and causes the stolid Britisher to wonder whether his country really is the greatest thing on earth.

A Boston professor is planning a balloon trip over the Atlantic. He'll find a sandwich and a life preserver valuable accessories.

That Oregon man who committed a murder because he was given skim milk would never qualify as a summer boarder.

FIRE IS THE GREATEST FOE OF OUR WOODLANDS

Often Kindled by Sparks from Railroad Locomotive and by Settlers and Farmers in Clearing Land or Burning Brush.

Of all the foes which attack the woodlands of North America no other is so terrible as fire. Forest fires spring from many different causes. They are often kindled along railroads by sparks from the locomotives. Carelessness is responsible for many fires. Settlers and farmers clearing land or burning grass and brush often allow the fire to escape into the woods. Some one may drop a half-burned match or the glowing tobacco of a pipe or cigar, or a hunter or prospector may neglect to extinguish his camp fire, or may build it where it will burrow into the thick duff far beyond his reach, to smolder for days, or weeks, and perhaps to break out as a destructive fire long after he is gone. Many fires are set for malice or revenge, and the forest is often burned over by huckleberry pickers to increase the next season's growth of berries, or by the owners

fully watched. A sudden change of wind may check a fire, or may turn it off in a new direction and perhaps threaten the lives of the men at work by driving it suddenly, down upon them.

When all the conditions are favorable, forest fires sometimes reach gigantic proportions. A few such fires have attained historic importance. One of these is the Miramichi fire of 1825. It began its greatest destruction about one o'clock in the afternoon of October 7 of that year, at a place about sixty miles above the town of Newcastle, on the Miramichi river, in New Brunswick. Before ten o'clock at night it was 20 miles below Newcastle. In nine hours it had destroyed a belt of forest 80 miles long and 35 miles wide. Over more than 2,500,000 acres almost every living thing was killed.

The Peshtigo fire of October, 1871,



Trunk Damaged by Fire.

of cattle or sheep to make better pasture for their herds.

There is danger from forest fires in the dry portions of the spring and summer, but those which do most harm usually occur in the fall. At whatever time of the year they appear, their destructive power depends very much on the wind. They cannot

was still more severe than the Miramichi. It covered an area of over 2,000 square miles in Wisconsin and involved a loss, in timber and other property, of many millions of dollars. Between 1,200 and 1,500 persons perished, including nearly half the population of Peshtigo.

The most destructive fire of more recent years was that which started near Hinckley, Minn., September 1, 1891. While the area burned over was less than in some other great fires, the loss of life and property was very heavy. Hinckley and all other towns were destroyed, about 500 lives were lost, more than 2,000 persons were left destitute, and the estimated loss in property of various kinds was \$25,000,000. Except for the heroic conduct of locomotive engineers and other railroad men the loss of life would have been far greater.

The means of fighting forest fires are not everywhere the same, for they burn in many different ways; but in every case the best time to fight a fire is at the beginning, before it has had time to spread. A delay of even a very few minutes may permit a fire that at first could easily have been extinguished to gather headway and get altogether beyond control.

When there is but a thin covering of leaves and other waste on the ground, a fire usually cannot burn very hotly or move with much speed. The fire in most hardwood forests are of this kind. They seldom kill large trees, but they destroy seedlings and saplings and kill the bark of older trees in places near the ground. The hollows at the foot of old chestnuts and other large trees are often the results of these fires, which occur again and again, and so enlarge the wounds instead of allowing them to heal.

FARMER REGARDS WORK AS SCIENCE

Now Sends Sons and Daughters to the Best of Colleges.

Never in the history of agriculture has there been such a forward movement on the part of the farmer and for the farmer of the part of state and nation, as is now at the present time. Prosperity for the last decade has been the constant companion of the man who clothes and feeds the nation. All this good fortune that has fallen to the cause of agriculture has not come unmixed. Progress has been made along the line in solving the various problems dealing with the tillage of the soil and the production of bountiful crops.

Educationally, the farmers are not so far behind their city cousins as one would naturally think, and if we take proportionate numbers into consideration, the farmers are ahead. The blessings of modern civilization and the advantages of up-to-date methods and labor-saving conveniences are enjoyed almost as generally by the country folk as by those living in the city.

It seems almost needless repetition to cite how, through the agency of the telephone, rural free delivery and the tourist electric railway the former isolation of the farmer from the city has disappeared. All these modern developments have their influence on rural communities for the better. Each year the number of farmers' sons and daughters attending our higher institutions of learning is growing larger. Educational statistics, we are told, disclose that the proportion of farm-reared students found in the colleges and universities is larger than that of students coming from the walks of life, either from the wealthy or working classes.

There is a very good reason for the presence of the farmer's son and daughter in the halls of learning. Agricultural education has become the favorite theme with the wide-awake farmer and his family, and as a result these institutions are being patronized

almost to overflowing by students eager to make farming their life work. Now conditions must be met in our progressive age, such as the remarkable increase of our population and an ever-increasing demand for farm products at high prices; the rush of so many country people to live in the city, impelled by the erroneous thought that farm life is debasing, and that urban existence is more attractive than the monotony of the farm.

Feed for Pigs.

I have been forced to depend upon my farm for my pork and have learned that plenty of rutabaga turnips, clover and one bag of corn will put a hog through the winter; then put to pasture till fall. It makes good pork and at a low price. There is money in it and no need to depend upon the west for pork.

Editor's Advice.

"You waste too much paper," said the editor. "But how can I economize?" asked the writer. "By writing on both sides of the paper." "But you will not accept articles when they are written on both sides of the sheet?" "No, I know it; but you'd save paper, just the same."—Yonkers Statesman.

Canoe, the "Superb."

Genoa when seen from the sea richly deserves the title it has acquired of "the Superb," for most of the town, being built on the lower hills of the Ligurian Alps, there is an unparalleled opportunity for the display of architectural magnificence. Besides being celebrated for its churches, palaces, and pictures, Genoa can boast of having been the cradle of the banking business of the world, and even now money matters are transacted there more than in any other town in Italy. And to many of us, if we know nothing else about it, Genoa calls up pleasant memories of a cake, as beautiful light suggests a bun.—London Chronicle.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

THE CAUSE OF THE CROW.

For the blackbird; one for the crow, one for the curlew, and two for the crow. Thus sang the crow upon the fence. I never saw—saw—saw, so unfair a division, I'm disgusted! Caw, caw, caw. I guess the farmer thinks that we poor caws can live on air. To give one to the curlew, is assuredly not fair. The blackbird is a noisy thing. A robber famed for greed. I can't see why the farmer thinks he, too, should have a seed. And "two to grow" one is enough; why do they waste the seeds? I don't see why they give to earth so much more than she needs. All round the board," declared the crow. "I never saw, saw, saw, so unfair a division! I'm disgusted! caw, caw, caw."

Letter from a City Woman.

My Dear, there is only one grief hanging over me since I left you, and that is the fear that you do not, as the old darkey observed, "think on yer marcies." You do not appreciate your blessings in the life of a small town—the freedom from dirt, alone, is worth so much more than you can ever realize. I was amused to hear you say that you needed to "clean house." Why, I could not see a speck of dust anywhere in the town; there is no such thing as dirt as we city folks understand it. And the calm which is not stagnation, by any means. For you have your clubs, your entertainments, your pleasures, your drives—so much that is pleasant and profitable. But you also have quiet when you want it; your ears are not assailed by strident sounds of all kinds at all hours and above and beyond all you have closer touch with nature, that restful mother of us all, to whose heart we of the city rarely return. Birds to sing to you; grass and trees to wave and whisper to you, flowers for the picking and heaven's wide view and pure air for the breathing. So, remember, my friend, to "think on yer marcies; 'tink on yer marcies."

Paraffin Paper.

Save all that comes to the house; it is good for wrapping food to take to picnics, etc. It is a bad plan to use newspapers for such purposes, as the printer's ink is poisonous and apt to be absorbed by the food.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

"BE QUICK."

BE QUICK, be quick in doing. The kindly deed. He quick, lost one in sorrow. He past the need. He quick, my soul, in a living. The gracious gift. He quick, my heart, in a living. And short the shift. The word of cheering message. He quick to say. No hope too dim to lighten. Some heavy way.

May not: "Some day, I'll help them, the poor, the sick." Ah, life and time are flying. Be quick! be quick!

Talks with the "Cheerful Grouch."

"A deeply rooted conviction that the world is all wrong and going to the deuce is not a bad thing as fast as it can, is not by any means inconsistent with good cheer and a lively disposition," and the Cheerful Grouch poked the fire and allowed her words to be digested without glancing toward the audience.

"How can one be a 'grouch' and at the same time cheerful?"

"Easily; theory has nothing to do with practice; one may believe that the world is lousy-turvy, and yet 'gang her ain gait,' content to cheerfully take things as they are, and make the best of a bad bargain."

"Mercy on us! That is putting a premium on pessimism."

The Cheerful Grouch stopped poking the fire. "Not at all; it is only by way of encouragement to the one whose natural bent is pessimistic. I know by personal experience that one may have such a bent and yet be gay as a lark. What's the difference? I do my best and if things go wrong, forget it, and she shrugged a pair of doubting shoulders.

"But how about the theory that 'God's in his heaven, all's right with the world?'"

"Lovely! Sweet and a snap for those who are born with the ability to see it. Personally, I never could quite bring myself to feel that everything is all right. Indeed, I think it is often wrong, and that maybe the Lord wants us to help him put things right. If that be correct, make the most of it!" and she poked the fire amid universal silence.

Machine Grass may be removed from wash fabrics by cold rain-water and pure soap.

His Finish.

"Give woman the credit she deserves," the suffragette cried, "and where would man be?" "If she got all the credit she wanted, he'd be in the poorhouse," sneered a coarse person in the rear of the hall. —Stray Stories.

Bigger Yet.

"That," said Hinkler, as he gazed in astonishment at his wife's new hat, "is the biggest thing I ever saw." "Oh, that's nothing," rejoined Mrs. H. "Just wait till you get the bill for it."

TATTTLING TEA LEAVES.

Since that ancient time when erring Antony wandered after a light love the elusive and amiable blonde has menaced the quiet home of domestic man. It must be assumed, however, that Antony knew nothing of the leaves, else the Roman senate was sadly deficient. All those since who have indulged in the cup that cheers have been wiser in their generation than that New York benedict recently accused of non-support by a wife expert in the reading of tea-dreg mysteries. The avoidance was so patent that the guilty wretch sought no other defense than a quarrel. With sheer masculine strategy, which is alleged to have included cleaning out the house, he barred the door against his subtle feminine half, says the Washington Post. Whereupon came the airing of these things before that most unsentimental of persons—the local magistrate—a low-brow who would not accept the testimony of a cup "turned three times slowly with a wish." The brute sided with the man, of course. The result achieved by such a dispensation of justice is not one to be desired. The domestic war—a sort of armed neutrality. Such well-founded suspicion will never die. The only thing proved by it is that men will hang together, unless it be that there are those who should hang Oolong from the home. Moral: Use a strainer.

The fortune of \$5,000,000 which was acquired by Christopher Magee, politician and newspaper publisher of Pittsburgh, who passed away several years ago, has been released by his wife's death and will now go to the ultimate purpose for which it was devised by its accumulator—the foundation and maintenance of a hospital for women. The institution is to bear the name of the testator's mother, Elizabeth Steel Magee. One of its features will be a department for women in distress, who are to receive free treatment at all times and be asked no questions. "Chris" Magee did not escape sharp criticism while alive, but even the most inveterate of those who were his political enemies must admit the excellence of the great purpose to which he saw fit to apply his money.

The April fire loss in the United States and Canada amounted to \$19,345,300, making an aggregate of \$72,000,000 for the first quarter of 1909. Compared with the two years last past this shows a better state of things, which it is hoped, may continue. The fire loss for the first four months of 1908 was \$90,804,000, and for the corresponding period of 1907, \$86,426,200.

A metaphysical physician now tells mothers not to punish their children for naughtiness, but to play to them on the piano by way of correcting their faults. Yet piano playing has been known to demoralize a whole block and develop the residents' most vicious passions.

It seems the irony of fate that the kaiser, who believes in the complete subordination of women and the restriction of their activities to the field of church, kitchen and children, should be balked in his hopes of adding Holland to his empire by a mere baby girl.

A man drank two quarts of whisky in two hours in Philadelphia to win a bet of one dollar. He will drink no more, and his executors doubt whether the dollar will go far toward paying funeral expenses.

The big universities report a shortage in the classics and theology and some ease without the fear of the Lord before his eyes arises to announce that the world must be getting better.

A Frenchman has bequeathed his fortune for masses for the souls of people killed by joy-riders. Their sin is getting in the way must be considered great in France.

Says Edwin Markham, more or less rhythmically, "Laugh and reach out your hands among the stars." But doesn't it cost \$10,000,000? Give us an easier one.

He Got the Direction. But recently arrived, a shade huddled up to St. Peter.

"My good man," said he, "will you tell me where I must go to get suavenut post cards?"

And St. Peter, eying him sourly, told him where he could go to.

One Want Supplied. Walter—You'll find our roast goose very satisfying, sir.

Regular Patron—I don't doubt it, William. The last roast goose I tried here will satisfy me, I think, for the next ten years. Bring me some broiled ham, William.

IN TRIM.



The Proacher—You boys shouldn't play ball today. Sunday is a day of rest.

The Kids—We ain't tired, sir.

A Better Crop. The peach crop may be a failure but the summer girl won't fail us. Therefore we don't care.

Gossip About People

A Brief Mention of the Comings and Goings by Those We Are Interested In.

Miss Kathleen Walter spent Thanksgiving in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Totten, of Stanford, were here Saturday.

Mrs. Ann Robinson is in Paint Lick visiting Mrs. James Francis.

Hirsho Conn, of Cincinnati, spent Thanksgiving with homefolks.

Hon. Jno. L. Anderson, of Washington, D. C., is here for a few days.

Dr. Wm. Burnett, wife and daughter spent Sunday at Bloomfield, Ky.

Miss Mabel Browning, of Winchester, is the guest of Miss Bettle West.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hargens and little son, are in Versailles visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. David Chenault, of Richmond, are with their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Elmore.

Mrs. E. L. Poor has returned from a stay with Mrs. Theodore Wintersmith of Louisville.

Miss Sallie Mays Sparks, of Nicholasville, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Margaret Kinnard.

Miss George Dunn is visiting her cousin, Miss Jennie Higgins, of upper Garrard.

Misses Wadde Lee and Joe Helen Merritt are visiting friends in Lexington.

Miss Lucy Francis is at home from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. George Hallow, of Richmond.

Mrs. Wood Burnside entertained Friday evening, in honor of a few friends.

Miss Edna Hallow, of Richmond, is the guest of Misses Lucy and Tammie Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Denman have returned to Nicholasville after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Alex West.

Miss Allie Yantis entertained in honor of her cousin, Miss Beale Yantis, of Stanford.

Misses Margaret and Joan Mount attended the Saxton dance in Stanford one night last week.

Mrs. Ernest Warren has returned to her home in Middleboro after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Helton.

Mrs. W. R. Cook entertained the Card Club Tuesday afternoon at her suburban home.

Mrs. Joe T. Arnold, of Richmond, visited her niece Mrs. W. H. Ward last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pettus have returned to their home in Springfield, after a visit to Mrs. Lizzie McCauley.

Mr. Dave Ross entertained, in honor of Judge W. C. Hill, a few friends Monday night for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Slavin spent Thanksgiving in Danville with the former sister, Mrs. Nannie S. Jones.

Mrs. B. E. McRoberts is at home from a several weeks visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ware, of Hopkinsville.

Mrs. S. H. Nickell is at home again after a visit to her parents, at Carlisle, having been called there by the illness of her father.

Mr. John R. Kelley, who lived near Hackley, has moved to Knoxville, Tennessee, where he will make his future home.

Mr. B. F. Hudson entertained a number of gentlemen friends at a sumptuous dining on Thanksgiving at his suburban home.

Miss Mayme Walter was in Lexington last week to see her sister, Miss Ethel Walter, who is a student at Smith's Business College.

Mrs. H. A. B. Marksbury who has been visiting her daughters, Mesdames Howard Rice, of Richmond, Ind. James Staughton, Covington, returned home last week.

Mrs. Samuel Haselden and little sons, J. R. and Samuel Duncan Haselden left Tuesday to visit Mrs. Haselden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Powell Duncan, of Nicholasville.

School Notes

The school resumed work again on Monday morning, after having spent the Thanksgiving holidays very pleasantly. Miss Mason visited home folks at Richmond. Miss Brashear went to Campbellsville for a stay with Miss Robinson, who formerly taught here.

A large number of patrons and friends of the school were present at the exercises given on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. McNece, a member of the class of 1903, of the Lancaster Graded School was with us Monday morning. Frank Tindler, Charlie Dunn, Kate Holzel and Gus Dunn are the leaders of their respective sections for the first quarter in the contest for the medal offered to the group making the highest scholarship average.

The name of Will Rice Amon was overlooked in making out the Honor Roll for the first quarter.

The Magisterial District Association for Lancaster District meets at the Graded School building on Saturday, December fourth, at two o'clock. It is hoped that all the teachers of this district can be present.

D. W. Bridges, Chairman.

General News.

The Court of Appeals affirmed the life sentence against Beach Hargis, and he must serve for life.

Tom Gallagher, 13 years of age, captured after a wagon load of policemen had surrounded the Lafayette Bank in St. Louis, confessed that he, with another boy, had planned to rob the bank.

Leo S. Baldwin and Rufus Lisle, who last week were appointed receivers for the Hurley Tobacco Society's pools of 1906 and 1907, took charge at Lexington of the unexpended fund of \$301,000 remaining in the pools.

Denial is made by the Nicaraguan legation at Washington that President Zelaya is about to leave that country as a result of the revolution he now faces. The legation says it is in daily communication with Managua.

President Taft has begun detailing his annual message to Congress and will be busily engaged at that task for the next few days. He expects to complete the work and have it in the hands of the public printer this week.

On criminal charges, resulting from the relations of extensive underweighing frauds on the docks of the American Sugar Refining Company in Williamsburg, N. Y., six former employees of that company were placed on trial in the United States Circuit Court in New York City.

Dispatches to Dun's Review indicate that progress in some lines of business is still hindered by the recent warm weather, but aside from this temporary drawback all signs point to steady expansion in both production and consumption.

It was announced at Lexington that the executive committee of the American Tobacco Company would consider a proposal to make by the Hurley tobacco organization for the sale of 130,000,000 pounds of tobacco of the 1909 pooled crop to the company.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook has disappeared from public view and but one man, Charles Wake, of New York, knows where the Arctic explorer is at present. Reports that he had sailed for Europe and Havana were denied, and efforts to find him, have proved unavailing.

Dr. Cook confirmed rumors that Dr. Cook was in a state bordering on nervous collapse and said that he was taking a much needed rest.

Walter Wellman, who failed to reach the North Pole by the balloon route, in a review of Cook's and Peary's claims of the discovery of the pole, characterizes Dr. Cook's story as "a self-evident and even deliberate imposture."

Wellman in his analysis says that Peary's narrative of the discovery is credible in every particular.

Commissioner of Agriculture M. C. Rankin issued a statement to the members of the 1906 and 1907 Hurley tobacco pools, appealing to them to allow any money they have in the treasury to remain there to promote the interests of growers. In the course of the address he said that the members of the pool have received the money they are entitled to and added, "let's be men, not curs."

Rich Man's Gifts Are Poor

beside this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest gifts that God has made to woman, writes Mrs. O. Rhinevault, of Vestal Center, N. Y. "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and brilliant health. It quickly cures Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Headache, Backache, Fainting and Dizzy Spells; soon builds up the weak, ailing and sickly. Try them. 60c, at R. E. McRoberts. 1m

BUENA VISTA

James I. Hamilton and wife of Lancaster, spent Sunday with relatives near here.

Char. Scott and family, Van Arsdale have been visiting J. W. Scott and wife.

Miss Mary Skinner spent the Thanksgiving holidays with a schoolmate at Spring Station.

Miss Florence Christopher spent Thanksgiving with the family of W. T. King at Lowell, and attended the oyster supper at Paint Lick Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ballard visited the family of J. J. Poor, last week.

Miss Alice Scott came home for Thanksgiving. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Margaret Christopher, of South Elkhorn.

Achille Skinner while assisting in felling a tree last Saturday, had the misfortune to have the second lugger on his right hand severed. It was necessary to amputate it near the hand.

Loyd.

Mr. Jim Simpson is reported very sick from erysipelas.

Mr. John Ray has lost his eye entirely, from a small rock flying in it.

Miss Lida Raney entertained a number of friends very pleasantly Sunday.

Mrs. Oala Whitaker is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hall Montgomery, of Little Hickman.

The Misses Hurton, of Jessamine, are visiting their cousin, Miss Sallie Sebastian.

Miss Mamie Walker, of McCreary, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kirby Teater.

Born, to the wife of Mr. Geoamo Bolton, a girl.

"Mound City Palms may cost a trifle more, but—C. C. & J. B. Stormes."

From Comrade To Comrade

The following letter was received after a notice of the dinner given to the Confederate Veterans, by T. B. Robinson, at the Kensington, was published.

Clarksville, Tenn., Nov. 24, 1909. Mr. Joe H. Arnold, Lancaster, Ky.

My dear Comrade:—

The enclosed clipping is the first I have heard from you for years, and brings me back to memories of the sixties.

It is a great pleasure to me to hear or see any one honoring my dear old comrade. It has been one of my great pleasures to give and contribute to pleasure of the C. S. who answered to the last call of the roll, those that stick to the finish.

They were true men and worthy of all honors, they are "Thoroughbreds and run the race from end to end."

Kentucky is the home of thoroughbreds, and it is right that they should honor them.

No mongrel blood courses through the veins of the boys that surrendered with Lee, Johnston, Kirby, Smith, Forst, Duke and others, of those who received their parole from prison.

I remember in my school days a place in our reader that ran thus, which I think is applicable and quite from memory "The mongrel hound will all but only crows loose the Bull Dog grip."

Personally, in the battle of life I have captured my share of the spoils and though I have been burned out by night riders and on the account of their depredation my factory property has greatly depreciated, so that my individual losses from that cause is fully \$50,000.

I have still left sufficient to give me some better than old soldier fare and have a little to help less fortunate comrades who have not been able to capture their share of the spoils in life's battle.

Jack, three years ago crossed the river and is resting in the shade, awaiting the rest of his comrades to cross over. Remember me to your brother Denton and others of Co. I.

Yours faithfully, T. D. Luckett, Co. C.

Her Heart Was Broken

because her complexion was had and she could find nothing to clear it up. Ladies: a bad complexion is caused by an inactive liver. An inactive liver will be put in perfect condition by taking Ballard's Herbine. The unequal liver regulator. Sold by R. E. McRoberts. 1m

THE BABY PRINCESS.

A nation is rejoicing. Because from plight forlorn, They've been saved by the baby Who unto them is born.

Within his tiny fingers It holds the nation's life; Its first faint cry was promise Of freedom from war's strife.

Upon this new-born infant Is fixed a nation's eyes; Turbulence and its coming As blessing and its price: So tiny and so helpless! Yet it begins the fate, To bar the foreign ruler, Protector of the state.

Yet, only on scale mighty, This babe is different From other human babies From God's own heaven sent: For 'tis their tiny fingers 'Round human hearts fast curled, Which make them home protectors, Real rulers of the world.

Lighting the Fire.

A fire broke out one night in one of the smaller towns of Massachusetts, whereupon its newly-equipped fire department, composed of volunteers, was called on to show what it could do.

Only one lantern could be found, the smoke was pouring out of the building, and the night was dark. Finally a small tongue of fire appeared and a cheer went up as the firemen turned the hose in that direction.

At this moment the captain cried out: "Look out what you're doing there! Keep that water off that! It's the only light we've got to put out the fire by."—Hippocritus.

Revised Version.

Simplex—Miss Cashleigh proposed to me three times during the last month of last year, but I couldn't make up my mind to accept her.

Hannerton—What is she worth? Simplex—Nearly half a million.

Hannerton—Well, all that I've got to say is that a fool and another fool's money are hard to unite.

True to Training.

Generous lady—Here, my little boy, I know you are hungry for a box of these animal crackers.

Boy—Much obliged, lady, but my folks is vegetarians.—Judge.

Son of the Soil.

"Say," queried the next-door neighbor, "what were you thrashing your son for last night?"

"Wild oats," answered the old man, with a twinkle in his old eye.

Wife Cuddles Him.

Patience—Getting married stopped his stammering.

Patience—How so?

"His wife won't let him open his mouth, now!"—Yonkers Statesman.

In Chicago.

Mrs. Dearborn-I thumbed up the stairs, today.

Mrs. Wabash—Well, that's the sign you'll not get divorced this year.—Yonkers Statesman.

Sarcasm.

"If I were you I wouldn't be a fool, Diggs."

"True," replied Diggs, complacently. "The unfortunate part of it is that you are yourself."—The Circle.

Public Sale.

Having sold my farm, I will on Tuesday, December 28, sell to the highest bidder, all of my stock, farming tools, and household goods.

12-3-21 (Pd) J. T. Raney.

YOU'LL FIND IT IN THIS COLUMN.

Go to Prather's for fresh meat, sausage, etc. 12-3-21

Our line of Xmas goods will be open Saturday. 12-3-21

Everything at the 10c store goes for 10c. 12-3-21

12 lbs. best granulated sugar for \$1.00. 12-3-21

We want you at our store Saturday December 11th. 12-3-21

Let us fill your grocery order next week as well as meat. 12-3-21

We will sell the best patent flour for the next 30 days for 85 cts per sack, for cash. 12-3-21

Bring me your produce. I pay the best prices. 12-3-21

Hill Brothers, at McCreary, have received a car load of furniture that they are selling at rock-bottom prices. 12-3-21

I will offer for sale at our residence on Lexington street our household and kitchen furniture on Saturday, December 18th. 12-3-21

I now have on display my fancy china, in odd pieces, hand painted. It is grand and cheap. 12-3-21

Attention! Ferriage will be free, over Kentucky river, in all tobacco sold at the Central Kentucky Warehouse, Lexington, Kentucky. 12-3-21

Lost. Brown striped coat from my wagon while driving on Crab Orchard pike last Saturday. Finder please notify Porter Rich, Lancaster, Ky. Phone 310-F. 12-3-21

Dr. W. N. Craig, oculist, will be at the Kensington Hotel Tuesday, Dec. 7. Those who have not supplied themselves with glasses should not fail to have their eyes tested, as this will be his last trip this year. 12-3-21

For Sale. We offer for sale our dwelling house and store room. This is one of the best locations in Garrard county for business. 12-3-21

The Southern Mercantile Co. Hyattsville, Ky. 12-3-21

Sure Enough Cost. More for your dollar at Powell's than at any of the sales. All shoes at sure enough cost. All notions and underwear at cost. 12-3-21

Arbuckle's coffee always 10c per package, soda 3 for 10. I will also have a large line of drugstore samples on Dec. 8, will sell at cost. 12-3-21

Take it all in all, goods are 10 to 20 per cent. cheaper at Powell's than elsewhere in town. This is no secret. The merchants all know it. Buy your Christmas goods at Powell's. Also want to sell store and goods all together or separately. Trade never less than \$20,000 a year. 12-3-21

C. D. Powell. 12-3-21

GILES. Mr. John McCulley, who has been very sick, we are glad to report, is improving. 12-3-21

Cape Vincent bought a nice horse from Bunk Masters for \$125. 12-3-21

Mrs. Wylie Burton and handsome children visited Mrs. William Stotts last week. 12-3-21

We are sorry to report that Mrs. B. Ray is very sick. 12-3-21

Zeak Moberley recently bought a nice young horse from Ray Teater for \$140. 12-3-21

Raymond Davis sold a milk cow to Owen Conley, of Jessamine, for \$30. 12-3-21

Tobacco stripping is about over in this vicinity. 12-3-21

The stork has again made a visit to our community and gladdened the home of Floyd Humphrey, by leaving a charming lit le girl, Nov. 23. 12-3-21

Louis Teater is very low with pneumonia. 12-3-21

Nelee Davis bought a milk cow from A. C. Miles for \$50. 12-3-21

Stung For 15 Years by indigestion's pangs—trying many doctors and \$200.00 worth of medicine in vain, B. F. Ayseue, of Ingleside, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. They cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. 25c at R. E. McRoberts. 1m

TEATERSVILLE. Mr. Creed H. Simpson who is attending school at Nicholasville spent Thanksgiving with his homefolks. 12-3-21

James R. Pierce of Lancaster, visited his father, Curtis Pierce, last Thursday. 12-3-21

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Cotton of Kirksville, were the pleasant guests of Mr. Sam Cotton and wife, last week. 12-3-21

Mrs. Margaret Anderson, of Mercer county, is the guest of N. K. Hogle and family. 12-3-21

Mr. Robert Embury and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simpson, last Thursday. 12-3-21

Mr. E. L. Ross spent several days last week, hunting quail in this locality. 12-3-21

E. B. Ray returned from the Central Kentucky Tobacco Warehouse at Lexington Thursday. He reports sales are the best of the season. 12-3-21

PREACHERSVILLE.

Horn, to the wife of Josh Jones, twins. 12-3-21

Mrs. Pado Parks and children visited Mrs. J. M. Lunsford. 12-3-21

W. H. Cummins bought a lot of corn of J. M. Lunsford at \$2.50. 12-3-21

Allie May, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Thompson is quite ill of double pneumonia. 12-3-21

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jones, of Stanford, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cress. 12-3-21

Miss Sarah Howard, the teacher of the Hobbs school, visited her pupil, little Miss Adella Lawrence, Thanksgiving. 12-3-21

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shaw and Mr. D. J. Rigby and wife and niece, Miss Hettie Rigby were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lunsford. 12-3-21

Ruby Parrish, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Parrish, was very severely hurt by a nail in a "saw-saw" board coming down and striking her head. 12-3-21

Mr. Pado Parks is getting some better with his burned hands. Mrs. Parks is running the mill while her husband is incapacitated, and is quite as good a miller as he is. 12-3-21

Mr. F. F. Payne, our good blacksmith, has sold his home here to Mr. S. D. Carpenter for \$1,200. We hope Mr. Payne will conclude to still make our "burg" his home. He is a number one blacksmith and a fine citizen. 12-3-21

Your correspondent spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lunsford. Their hospitable board was abundantly spread with all the delicacies of the season and cake and other delectable dainties afforded a dessert fit for a royal banquet. Mrs. Lunsford, besides being a most agreeable hostess, is quite an expert in all matters pertaining to the culinary department. We enjoyed the occasion immensely and wish them many happy returns of the day. 12-3-21

Wanted, Eggs, Eggs. If you want eggs, give your fowls Bourlon Egg Producer. This preparation is a natural condition powder for laying hens which acts gently on the digestive and egg-producing organs and makes them lay amazingly. Try it and see. Sold by J. R. Mount & Co. 12-3-21

MT. HEBRON. The farmers have taken advantage of the beautiful weather and most of the corn has been gathered and is selling from \$2.30 to \$2.50 per barrel. 12-3-21

Rev. J. I. Wills, of Williamstown is on a hunting expedition in this locality. 12-3-21

Mr. R. A. Dumas sold his farm of 50 acres to Messrs. Willie and Ed Grow at \$50 per acre. 12-3-21

Mr. A. O. Munigomery has moved to his farm recently purchased from J. M. Vanderpool. 12-3-21

Mr. Milton Montgomery sold to Richard Mirtle, of Danville, a cow at \$10 per pound. 12-3-21

Mr. Thomas Montgomery Sr. and family moved to their place here from near Bryantville last week. Mr. Thomas Montgomery Jr. and wife also moved near Luck No. 8. 12-3-21

Mr. Samuel Duncan bought of Mr. Harrison Dean some shots at \$3.00 per head. 12-3-21

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McMillan, of Boyle, were with relatives here Saturday and Sunday. 12-3-21

Mr. Uriah Dunn and wife, of Burgin spent Thanksgiving with their uncle, Mr. Dennis Scott. 12-3-21

Miss Mollie Crawford, of Buena Vista, was with Mrs. Sam Duncan Sunday. 12-3-21

Mr. T. W. Bradshaw, of McCreary, and daughter, Mrs. John Curd, of Burgin, attended preaching at this place Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grow. 12-3-21

Miss Gertrude McCreary, of Stone, was the pleasant guest of Miss May Scott from Friday until Monday. 12-3-21

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE NATIONAL BANK. (No. 1-103.) OF LANCASTER, KY., AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOV 16, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$154,785.71

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 8,707.84

Farm and Stock.

Squire J. P. Bourne sold to McGlothin, of Danville, a harness horse for \$175.

J. P. Adams sold to Jesse Fox eight 200 pound hogs at \$7 and ten 85 lb. shots at \$6.

James Turner bought of H. E. Corde his brick storehouse, residence and coal yards, on Campbell street for \$4,500.

E. P. Bailey sold his farm of 82 acres, eight miles from Georgetown on the Frankfort pike, to Ed. Hurst for \$155 per acre.

At Fayette Brooks sale, two miles west of Bryantville, the farm was taken down at \$54 per acre. Mules brought \$135 to \$155.

Benjamin Ham bought of James Turner his residence and 53 acres of land, 34 miles from town, on the Richmond road, for \$5,000.

For Sale—A rock crusher, in good condition, will crush 8 to 10 tons per day. Will trade for stock or apply to Hughes & Swinebroad.

A red heifer calf, weighing about 350 lbs., and having a white back, left my place about two weeks ago. Finder please notify Cephus Morgan, Point Leavelle, Ky.

C. C. Carpenter, Hustonville, Ky., has sold to Dr. Winniger, of Hot Springs, Ark., for \$1,250.00, the two saddle mares, Flora Lee and Florence Nightingale. Both were sired by Dignity Dare 1982, by Chester Dare 10.

Land For Sale.
One hundred and fifty acres of good land well improved, well watered, on good road, four miles from Bryantville. Will sell at a bargain. Call on J. E. Robinson.

Horses and Mules Wanted.
Any one having horses or mules to sell will profit by seeing me, as I will buy them at any time and give the highest market price.
W. B. Burton, Lancaster, Ky.

The closing out sale of St. Lambert Jersey cattle by the Crawford Brothers, of Lebanon, Ky., was a great success from every point of view. The average price for the entire herd sold was \$198, the forty-seven head bringing \$9,290.

To Dealers in Cattle.
For grazing and feeding cattle call on or place your orders with S. A. Cooper Commission Co., Kansas City Stock Yards. A careful selection for what you want will be made by our W. O. Park who has 27 years' experience in filling orders on this market. Please address all communications to W. O. Park, Kansas City Stock Yards, 10-1-104.

Fruit Tree Information.
No more spraying fruit trees, if you use Grimes Insect Powder.
By a long careful study I have perfected a powder, that when applied to the roots of fruit trees, will kill all worms, insects and stop San Jose scale. It is perfectly harmless to vegetation. Anyone who has the powder call C. T. Grimes, 400-4, or write him at Lancaster.
This is the time of year to pay attention to your trees.
Ed-12-3-4. C. T. Grimes.

The great obstacle to profit in the dairy industry is the difficulty of assembling a herd of cows that will average above medium. One hindrance to successful dairying is to allow the cows to go dry too long before freshening. A good cow should give milk at least ten months in the year to be a profitable member of the herd. Some cows have such a strong inclination to a flow of milk that it is difficult to dry them off before they freshen. At least an interval of eight weeks should be allowed a cow to go dry before freshening to give the animal rest and allow her to recuperate strength for material functions. While the cow is dry she should not be fed corn or heating rations to force her into too high condition. Before freshening a ration principally of protein that will build up the muscular tissues is desirable, that the animal may be vigorous when she resumes her material functions. Box stalls should be provided for them when they are expected to drop a calf. For a few days after freshening cows should be protected from cold drafts and not allowed to drink ice water. Warm washes should be given and a mild physic administered the day before the arrival of the calf.

FINE FARM IN GARRARD COUNTY FOR SALE!

A fine blue grass farm for sale situated on six miles near Point Leavelle and six miles south of Lancaster, consisting 200 acres, well located in good neighborhood, being part of the John Walker tract, with a handsome new, two-story seven-room residence thereon, with all necessary outbuildings and good, new barns. Well watered, six never failing springs and creek running through.
Terms—Cash in hand, balance one and two years from day of sale, bearing six per cent interest until paid.
Persons looking for such place please write or see W. O. WALKER, Standard Ky.

The Correct Time
to stop a cough or cold is just as soon as it starts—then there will be no danger of pneumonia or consumption. Just a few doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup taken at the start will stop the cough. If it has been running on for sometime the treatment will be longer, but the cure is sure. Sold by H. E. McRoberts.

FARMER'S COLUMN

appears below this heading is for the exclusive use of our farmer subscribers, and is for the sale of stock, grain and such things on farm as the farmer cannot afford to advertise. No notices will be accepted over four lines, and will be only in two issues of the Record, free of charge.

FOR SALE—3 good short horn bulls.
O. T. Layton.

I have 14 good hemp brakes for sale.
W. G. Gooch.

I have some young white Plymouth Rock roosters for sale. J. T. Henry.

I have 25 extra good home raised steers for sale. Phone 312 J.
J. R. Ross.

I have 12 hemp brakes, in good condition, that I will sell for \$25.
H. K. Herndon.

For Sale—S. C. Minorco cockerels, Northrup strain. Address Mrs. G. P. Terrill, phone 159, Lancaster, Ky.

I have 150 acres of stalk and grain land to rent for grazing.
J. N. Farra.

TO SAVE TIME.

When your Tobacco is ready to deliver to the Lancaster Tobacco Warehouse call phone 38 to see if it can be handled that day. This will save time and trouble.

Positively no tobacco received on Saturday unless it was left over from Friday.

J. A. Mingua & Co.

STONE.

Mrs. Walter Payne has been very sick the past week with Lagripp.

Mrs. Irene Preston is on the sick list this week.

Miss Nettie Hunter, who fell and broke her arm about two weeks ago, is improving slowly.

Jim Sanders bought of Edd Naylor one calf for \$10.50.

Mr. Jim Parks bought a bunch of hogs from Mr. George McQuerry at 74 cents per pound.

Miss Beatrice Sanders spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Sallie Sanders, of Hyattsville.

Mrs. Emma Posey is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Joe Hloka.

Mrs. Charlie Hamm, of Hyattsville, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Viola Payne, last week.

Miss Alice Snyder visited her mother Mrs. Mary Snyder, of Paint Lick, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Gertrude McQuerry of Jessamine spent from Friday until Monday with Miss Mae Scott of Bourne.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sanders and children visited her grand father, Mr. Marion Long, of Madison.

Mrs. Herbert Fulger, of Somerset, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter Payne.

Mrs. Olie Whitaker and children, of Loyd, spent several days with her sister, Mrs. B. Montgomery.

Mr. Lottie Roney is the guest of his uncle, Mr. Wolford Roney, of Lancaster, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sanders and children, of Judson, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Mary A. Sanders.

Miss Maud Mitchell, of Judson, spent Sunday with Miss Lula B. Crutchfield.

A. T. Sanders is at Crab Orchard for a month's stay.

Mr. Maurice Thompson and wife were the guests of her mother, Mrs. A. B. Brown, near Lancaster, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lige McMillon spent last Friday night with her father, Mr. John Ray, of Loyd.

Mr. Charlie Anderson and son of Nicholasville were the guests of Mr. George Anderson, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Crutchfield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Sager, of Jessamine.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CINCINNATI UNION STOCK YARDS.			
December 1	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Receipts	1013	5261	406
Shipments	99	1099	
CATTLE: Shippers			
Extra	8 700	6 75	
Good to choice	8 500	7 00	
Good to choice	8 100	6 75	
Common to fair	8 100	6 40	
Hellars, extra	8 500	6 50	
Good to choice	8 500	6 25	
Common to fair	8 100	6 00	
Cows, extra	4 250	4 00	
Good to choice	4 000	3 75	
Common to fair	3 750	3 50	
Common to fair	1 700	1 75	
Hulls, hogs	3 200	4 10	
Extra	3 150	4 00	
Fat bulls	4 350	5 15	
CALVES: extra	6 00	5 25	
Fair to good	5 000	4 50	
Common and large	4 000	3 75	
HOGS: good packers and butchers	6 500	6 00	
Mixed packers	6 000	5 50	
Hogs	6 000	5 25	
Common to choice heavy fat sows	6 000	5 75	
Light shippers	7 700	6 00	
Pigs (110 lbs and less)	6 000	5 75	
SHIPPERS: extra	4 000	4 00	
Good to choice	3 750	3 50	
Common to fair	3 500	3 25	
LAMBS: extra	6 7 00		
Good to choice	6 150	5 50	
Common to fair	5 000	4 50	

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THE FUTURE OF FLIGHT.

The convalescent aviator, his crutches at his side, sat in a wheeled chair on the beach.
"Man already, in his primitive aeroplane, flies 50 times better than the bird," he said. "Think how he'll fly in 1915, in 1925, in 2000!"
"A 13 pound bird in flight puts forth a tenth of one-horsepower—that is all its strength. Man's primitive aeroplane, in which no single man has yet flown in the aggregate more than a dozen hours or so, puts forth, for every 12 pounds of its weight, 4 1/2-horsepower. It is 50 times stronger than a bird."
"Man, flying a few hours, already beats the bird 50 times over. What will he do when he has been flying a century? Why, he'll go round the world in 24 hours. He'll glide the globe in eternal sunshine with the sun. There will be aeroplane sanitation in those days, wherein men taking the sun-cure will keep up with the great luminary in his course, and on those blessed people will pour always, day and night, the most brilliant morning sunshine."

NO TIME TO LOSE.



"Is your mistress at home?" asked the lady at the door.
"No, ma'am."
"Do you expect her soon?"
"She ought to be home any minute now."
"Here—hurry! Take my card, and be sure to tell her Mrs. Jeannison called."

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WANTED A TOOTHBRUSH.

Uncle Daniel Dewberry wandered around the big department store idly watching the scintillating colors of the electric fountain.

"Well, sir," said the clerk, anxiously, "what can I do for you?"

"I want a toothbrush," began Uncle Daniel, and then, before he could say any more, the clerk was tumbling down boxes like circus tents at a one-night stand.

"Yes, sir. You want the latest Parisian importation with the removable handle?"

"No, but I—"

"Ah, I see. You want the Japanese special. Antiseptic bristles—"

"No; I—"

"Ah, how stupid of me! You want a toothbrush for the madam—"

"Will you please—"

"Oh, for the baby, eh? Well, here's a peach. The 'Baby Grand.' We—"

Uncle Daniel brought his horny fist down on the counter.

"Young man," he thundered, "let me say a word: I want a toothbrush for our old cow. These pasteurized, hygienic, antiseptic dainties are useless and we want to be up to date, too, be gosh!"

And then the clerk collapsed.

LOOKED VERY LIKELY.



She—I believe I saw Capt. Carpooper on the Leas this morning.

He—Don't think so. I heard he's just left for India.

She—I think it was he. He was going into the bar of the Waldorf.

He—Aw—er—well, phaps you're right.

The Melodrama.

"I sing to drive dull care away."

He—The heroine, and for fun. The villain hissed. "It's a lucky thing dull care knows how to run."

Much Worse.

"It must be bad to be married to a woman who talks in her sleep."

"Not so bad as it is to be married to a woman and talk in your sleep yourself."

Interested.

"Sir, I want to tell you about the greatest fraud of the age."

"What's the matter? Did somebody steal second?"

Women

Women who suffer from female ailments, frequently neglect their trouble, till a general break-down follows. Don't wait till your case is as bad as that—take Cardui in time. It is a safe, reliable medicine, for all women.

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